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ONE DOLLAR A YEAR IN ADVANCE

ROOSEVELT DAY SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9TH.

The honoring of Theodore Roosevelt is a matter that transcends party belief and personal prejudice. He lived greatly for America and that is enough to justify even those who opposed him in mourning his death. With iron courage he performed a major operation on the public morals of his country at a time when public ethics had become sullied and with daring and unflinching dignity he measurably increased the prestige of America abroad. Of no American can it be more truthfully said that his heart was yearned with the flag. For these things alone all Americans who have lived in his time should hold themselves in his debt and should turn aside on the ninth day of February to honor his passing from the National stage.

The program for the Roosevelt Memorial Services in Barbourville, Sunday, February 9th, will be announced in the next issue of the Advocate.

J. A. McDERMOTT, Chm.
Council National Defense.

LOCAL MAN MAY BUILD ICE PLANT IN CORBIN

(Corbin Times)

H. H. Owens, an L. & N. attorney, of Barbourville, and other persons were in our city this week looking for a location to build a first-class and up-to-date ice plant. Owens is president of the Harlan Ice Company, also president of the Barbourville Brick Company, and has connection with the railroad company that would enable him to control the railroad business. He has the brick and knows the ice business and is in shape to put in a first-class plant and run it so as to give first-class service. We certainly need an ice plant and hope that some one will get busy now so as to be able to keep us cool by the time we begin to get hot.

PROPERTY SOLD

W. R. Marsee, of Artemus, purchased the home place of W. H. McDonald on Depot Street last Wednesday. It is not known yet whether Mr. Marsee intends to move to this city at present or not.

To those who know and appreciate artistic photos, we invite your patronage.

A. C. Lay.

IN MEMORY OF A FAITHFUL SOLDIER

Neatly framed and hanging upon the wall of the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Brewer of Ford's Ferry, Ky., is the treasured Official Commission and the Bronze Badge of Honor of the U. S. Boys' Working Reserve of their dead son, William Brewer. When the call came a year ago for all boys in Kentucky between the ages of 16 and 21 to enlist in the great Reserve army to back the boy in the trenches by service on the farms, William Brewer was one of the first to respond. He worked faithfully during the summer on his father's farm and then in the fall when the harvest had been gathered he entered a munitions factory in Michigan. While there he was stricken and died and his body was sent back to the old home in Kentucky for burial. The Bronze Badge of Honor was sent to his parents from the State office of the Reserve in Louisville in memory of a faithful soldier who performed a patriotic service for his country.

Now, although peace has come, there is a call for service in 1919 to help feed the starving millions of Europe. Enrollment week is the week of Jan. 20-26 and all boys in Kentucky between the ages of 16 and 21 are urged to enroll for vacation work on the farms. Boys of these ages who work on the farms of their parents or neighbors are entitled to enroll and receive the rewards of service. Attractive posters have been sent out by the government officials in Washington to all high schools, libraries, postoffices, railroad stations, Y. M. C. A. buildings, government employment offices, etc., advertising Enrollment week.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Before using this preparation for a cough or cold you may wish to know what it has done for others. Mrs. O. Cook, Macon, Ill., writes, "I have found it gives the quickest relief of any cough remedy I have ever used." Mrs. James A. Knott, Chillicothe, Mo., says "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cannot be beat for coughs and colds." H. J. Moore, Oval, Pa., says "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy on several occasions when I was suffering with a settled cold upon the chest and it has always brought about a cure."

FOR RENT—Farm for 1919. Call on or address, MRS. L. D. TUGGLE, Eminence, Ky.



CAPT. EDWARD BLAND DISHMAN.

BACK FROM FRANCE

Capt. E. B. Dishman and a Number of Knox County Boys Will Arrive Here Today.

Of the many very patriotic families of Knox County none have contributed more towards the winning of the war than the family of Judge S. B. Dishman. At the beginning Judge Dishman was appointed Chairman of the Local Exemption Board for Knox County, and besides filling this position continuously, has been a very liberal contributor to all charitable work and a liberal subscriber to Liberty Bonds. As soon as war was declared S. B. Dishman, Jr., his youngest son, enlisted and was sent to the Officers' Training School at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Ind., where he was graduated as a 2nd Lieutenant and sent to Camp Custer where he was stationed until discharged. Another son, William M., enlisted in the Navy and was only recently discharged.

Capt. E. B. Dishman, the oldest of the three boys, was appointed captain of Co. M of the old First Kentucky in August, 1916, and was sent to the Mexican frontier where he remained a year. His company was then sent to Ft. Thomas, Ky., and later to Camp Taylor, Ky., from which place they went to Camp Shelby, Miss., leaving there for over-sea late in the summer of last year. With his company he left Brest, France on December 26, arriving at New York on January 8. After being in quarantine at Camp Dix, New Jersey for a short time they were ordered to Camp Sherman, Ohio for demobilization. In his company are many Knox County boys who had volunteered before war was declared with Germany, and who are expected to return with him today.

When the 1st Kentucky Regiment was transferred from Infantry to Artillery, Co. M, which was in command of Capt. Dishman, became Co. G, 113th Ammunition Train, Horse Section, Capt. Dishman remaining in command throughout the war. Among the Knox County boys with Capt. Dishman were: Lieutenant George Hembree, Sgts. Ben C. Herndon, Boyd E. Hinkle, and Garrett Gambrell, Corp. Walter Hurd. Privates Geo. Baker, Jesse Alford, Lyman Bennett, Louis Bennett, Sam Bray, Stephen Campbell, Wm. Davis, Hiram Davis, Oscar Epperson, Wm. Epperson, Frank Fox, Oliver Harris, Joe Hemphill, Pearl Henson, Frank Hinkle, Abe Jackson, Willie Kelley, Wm. O. Meeks, James P. Melton, Noah Messer, Felix Mills, Scott Parrott, Walter Rickett, Sidney Sizemore, L. Siler, Caleb West, Josh Williams, Wm. Wyatt, Sam Jackson, Garrett Alford, Joe Jackson.

OIL IN KNOX COUNTY

Kentucky is one of the leading spots for investors in oil and shows more work than any other Central West field, and is destined to be the most promising new field in the country. Deaf indeed, is he whose ears fail to catch the swift traveling message of prosperity and plenty. For more than fifteen years oil has been found in paying quantities in Knox County, but until the present time the work has all been of an experimental nature, and but few of the old heads is the oil business have given Knox County a serious thought. No deep wells have been drilled and what may lay concealed in the lower oil producing sands found in the Pennsylvania and West Virginia is unknown, only that old mother earth has left her "ear marks" in the hills and valleys of Knox County and that the lower producing sands that have made many millionaires in the fields of Pennsylvania and West Virginia exist here is proven beyond all doubt. It only remains for men with capital and faith to be encouraged to bring Knox County out of the shadow of suspicion into the sun light of prosperity.

It is a strange exhibition of warped mentality that men take pride in boasting of the golden opportunities that came their way and were allowed to pass unused. In the hearts of these same men stir

troubled dreams of generous fortunes to be thrust upon them some time from an unknown "somewhere". A few shrewd, sharp, far-seeing oil operators now see the wonderful possibilities in Knox County and are going to back their faith with large sums of money in starting a number of important test wells in Knox County. This Spring will see more active work done in this field than at any time since the old excitement of some seventeen years ago when oil was so cheap that only the mammoth gushers would yield profitable returns.

Among those who have faith is a "battle scared hero" in the oil game. "Old Man" Harris, from the hills of far off Nevada, is coming from the far West to help put old Knox on the map as a great oil producing county. "Old Man" Harris and his associates, connected with the Wyoming-Nevada Oil Company are going to drill twenty or more wells in Knox County this Spring and Summer. Another of "The Old Boys" in the game that everybody knows in the Kentucky fields, J. A. McDermott, is going to "do his bit" by drilling three wells as soon as possible. One well on Little Richland and two near Emanuel. Lawrence Company, of Georgia, are going to drill a three thousand foot test well near Flat Lick. The Wymond Oil Co. are going to put down four new wells on Little Richland. The C. A. Gent Oil Co. have also arrang-

ARMENIAN AND SYRIAN RELIEF GIVEN \$36.12

Mr. Robt. W. Cole, chairman of the Knox County Committee for Armenian and Syrian Relief, forwarded to the National Headquarters at New York on January 17, \$36.12, donated by the different Sunday schools of Barbourville. The donations were divided as follows: M. E. Church, \$19.40; Christian Church, \$12.47; Baptist Church, \$5.83; M. J. Church \$12.07; Presbyterian Church, \$16.35.

MOONSHINE STILL CAPTURED

On Friday of this week, W. A. Hinkle and others located a moonshine still on Indian Creek in this county. Upon investigation it was found that Alex Helton was the owner of the still. This is the second time Helton has been caught making liquor at his home. He was taken into custody by the sheriff and brought to Barbourville where he was bound over to the grand jury under \$500 bond.

It has been rumored that there are many others in the county and if this be true it is time they were being taken into custody and the stills destroyed thereby saving the country a great deal of worry over such things.

RED CROSS GRENADES

Libraries for the men overseas will be maintained as long as the Allied troops are in France.

Due to the A. R. C. American prisoners are the best fed and clothed prisoners returning from Germany.

A collection of \$5,020 for the A. R. C. was recently made on board the steamer Santa Anna bound for Peru.

An American Red Cross officer accompanies every shipment of American wounded coming home from England.

WANTED—Man past 30 with horse and buggy to sell Stock Condition Powder in Knox County. Salary \$90 per month. Address 424 South Meridian St., Indianapolis, Indiana.

ed to drill five new wells on their holdings on Little Richland. Lawrence Co. expect to drill ten or more wells on their lease near Girdler, Winchester, (Ky.) parties are also arranging to drill an important deep test well in Knox County, the location to be made public later. The Petroleum-Exploration Co. are starting a deep test well about three miles southeast of Barbourville, the exact location will be known in a few days. So the outlook in the oil business is more encouraging in the county than it has been for years.

Now a word to the "Tight Wads" and "Gold Worshipers" of the town and community, don't kill the "goose that lays the golden egg". Don't be like "Shylock" and demand your pound of flesh, but encourage the strangers in your midst, and lend a helping hand in their worthy efforts.

SPECIAL ORDER WAR SAVINGS STAMPS

The following paragraph appears in an order issued by the Third Assistant Postmaster General on date of December, 1918:

"Owners to be urged to hold 1918 War Savings Stamps mature on January 1, 1919, but may be paid earlier on ten days written notice from the owners. Postmasters should, however, try to press upon owners the importance of a patriotic duty of keeping the 1918 War Savings Stamps to maturity."

"Important—War Savings Stamps of different series not to be affixed to same certificate—War Savings Stamps, series of 1919, shall not be affixed to War Savings Certificates, series of 1918, nor shall War Savings Stamps, series of 1918, be affixed to War Savings Certificates, series of 1919. Such stamps affixed to War Savings Certificates of any other series will not add to the value thereof. It is most important that the public shall thoroughly understand this, and postmasters shall warn all purchasers not to affix stamps of the 1919 series to a certificate bearing 1918 stamps, or vice versa.

"Existing Regulations and Instructions Apply to 1919 Stamps. Except as Modified—All regulations and instructions now in force relating to requisitions and accounting for the issuance, registration and payment of, and otherwise pertaining to 1918 War Savings Stamps, and also relating to the remittance and deposit of War Savings Certificates shall apply on and after January 1, 1919, to War Savings Stamps of the 1919 series and the proceeds of their sale, except as modified by the foregoing instructions. The existing regulations and instructions concerning Thrift Stamps remain unchanged."

All employees should assist in carrying out the department's wishes in this matter by courteously urging applicants for payment of War Savings Stamps to retain these stamps until 1923, in accordance with their obligation wherever possible. It is not only an economical thing to do, but it is a patriotic duty. Many of those who are now making application for payment of War Savings Stamps would not have done so had the war continued, and the need for the money now is just as great as it ever has been, and the obligation is just as binding and the evidence of patriotism just as lacking where request is made by persons who can afford to retain these stamps.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY

Lady or gentleman to represent us in Knox County to handle one of the highest class propositions on the market. It entails a small investment. This proposition offers very large immediate earnings, with an unlimited future. Highest references needed and a personal interview in Indianapolis if possible. Apply Mr. Marquis, 305 Merchants Bank Bldg., Indianapolis, Ind. 12-21



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Any items intended for publication
 should reach this office not later
 than Wednesday or we will be forced
 to carry it over for the coming week.

GOING UP!

A survey by the Department of
 Labor of government salaries in the
 city of Washington discloses the
 fact that elevator conductors in the
 Food Administration were paid as
 high as \$1,800 per annum, while
 payment for the same service in
 other departments ranged as low as
 \$480. Other lines of work show
 similar discrepancies in compensa-
 tions, among the other government
 offices.

WOOL TO FLOCK IN

All restrictions have been removed
 on the importation of wool, and
 now we are having free trade in wool
 again. As soon as shipping is avail-
 able, there will be immense impor-
 tations from Australia, Argentina
 and South Africa. For awhile Amer-
 ican sheep will be protected by the
 unusual conditions arising from the
 war, but eventually free trade will
 drive American flocks to the meat
 block, unless a protective tariff law
 shall be enacted before the competi-
 tion becomes too keen.

JOHN SHARP BOOSTS HINDY

During Senator Chamberlain's re-
 cent speech on the RIGHTS OF SOL-
 DIERS, Yazoo's famous orator, John
 Sharp, interrupted to pay the follow-
 ing glowing tribute to the German
 military machine. "There are some-
 thing between two and three million
 German soldiers still with their
 arms, armed now, and fighting one
 another, in Berlin and elsewhere,
 and under the admirable military
 machine system of the German Em-
 pire, they can be remobilized within
 48 hours." Oh boy! We wager that
 old Hindenburg will swell with pride
 when he sees that statement. How
 times have changed since we were
 "too proud to fight". For a member
 of the minority to have made that
 statement a few months ago would
 have been grounds for disloyalty
 charges. Come up for air Williams.
 Let's reserve our military compli-
 ments for the returning victorious
 army.

WATCH US GROW.

Not all the signers of the Decla-
 ration of Independence were satis-
 fied in their own minds that the Re-
 publican form of government they
 planned would stand the test of
 time.

But they were willing to risk their
 necks to take a chance.

Not all of the statesmen since
 their day have been satisfied with
 the result. Some have declared that
 Republics fall short of the desired
 mark; that there is too much polit-
 ics and too little honest-to-God
 looking after the public welfare.

And looking back down the years
 since 1776, seeing the progress
 America has made; appreciating the
 truly wonderful growth and prosper-
 ity the country has enjoyed and re-
 sisting the influence our example
 has exercised upon the world at
 large, we will have to admit that
 the experiment has done pretty well.

For finally it devolved upon
 America, the struggling infant of a
 century ago, to step in and save the
 world from the terror of tyranny and
 oppression and serfdom and unpre-
 cedented extortion that, rolled into
 one, represent Kaiserism.

And incidentally make the world
 free for democracy.

Now throughout the length and
 breadth of Germany and Russia and
 the Balkans the people are fighting
 with the old, hard-dying imperialistic
 spirit for a greater liberty.

A lusty little flock of prospective
 Republics are poking their heads
 above the troubled waters of world
 regeneration.

For the Republic is coming into
 its own.

And Whoop-ee! Watch us grow!
 Uncle Sam didn't get away with-
 out getting his fingers just a trifle
 sore. It cost him a pretty penny
 to get a thoroughbred. In the
 end for the common good of the
 world he didn't try to pass the buck.
 He didn't try to pass the buck.
 He didn't try to pass the buck.

BLOW IT ALL IN!

When Congress authorized the
 President to take over the railroads
 it fixed the time of government op-
 eration to be for the period of the
 war and for 21 months thereafter.
 To provide a means of financing
 such operation a revolving fund of
 \$500,000,000 was set aside for the
 use of the Director General in
 supplying funds to needy roads for
 maintenance and equipment. It
 was supposed by the legislators that
 that huge sum would be ample to
 meet all requirements; in fact it
 was anticipated that long before it
 was exhausted some of the first
 loans made would be coming back
 into the Treasury, and the fund
 would in truth revolve.

But instead of carrying the roads
 through a period of years, as con-
 templated by the framers of the leg-
 islation, the "revolving" fund is
 practically exhausted in the very
 first year of Federal administration.
 The Director General in his annual
 report admits that over \$453,000,-
 000 of that amount has been ex-
 pended already. Not only that but
 \$235,000,000 has been taken from
 surplus receipts of railroad and ex-
 press companies and loaned back to
 the roads in addition to the millions
 from the revolving fund. Of course
 repayments to the Government for
 its loans from the revolving fund, if
 they are ever made, must come from
 surplus earnings, but when those
 earnings are diverted from that pur-
 pose and turned into further loans
 the result is only to sink the roads
 deeper into the financial mire.

THE LATEST SLOGAN.

"I'M-THRU-ENZA"

It is said to be an "insidious,
 war-is-over" feeling, very weakening
 to the sense of individual responsi-
 bility for a full personal share in
 cleaning up the job of making the
 world free. Its permanent cure is
 in making the years 1919 a year of
 thankful thrift.

According to a number who are
 suffering with I'm-thru-enza, one
 has a feeling that he has done all
 that has been required of him by
 subscribing to all war work as it
 came along—just as long as the war
 was in progress, but that the mo-
 ment peace was declared his respon-
 sibility was gone and he needed to do
 no more. He is the man who forgot
 that our boys have not yet returned
 home, that there are millions of
 dollars still to be paid for ammuni-
 tions and guns and that the people
 of this country must raise the mon-
 ey to do it. He forgets that all of
 our boys must be taken care of un-
 til they are all at work again—that
 a responsibility rests on the
 people of this country until all busi-
 ness is on a "par" basis.

Diametrically opposed to the man
 suffering with "I'm-thru-enza" trou-
 ble is the man who is in it to stay—
 the fan who knows what his respon-
 sibility is and just how important it
 is that he meet that responsibility.
 He is still buying Thrift and Savings
 Stamps and he has fulfilled all of
 his pledges to the Government. He
 is a real American. He is the man
 the Government depends on.

OUR EDUCATIONAL SITUATION.

The war is now over, and the
 Allies have won a glorious victory
 for world freedom and Democracy.
 By reason of our situation we Amer-
 icans have come into a world po-
 sition which distinctly stamps us
 with leadership for future posterity
 if we rightly fulfill the trust impos-
 ed upon us. Every privilege carries
 with it a corresponding responsibility.
 It now becomes our duty to
 prepare and execute this leadership
 of humanity and human affairs, so
 that Democracy, now firmly estab-
 lished in the Governments and lives
 of the people, may have the true
 and righteous development that will
 make for the advancement and hap-
 piness of humanity, as well as the
 glory of the Creator.

We, as school people, have ren-
 dered valuable and efficient service
 in all the war activities from the
 work of the Y. M. C. A., Red Cross,
 Y. W. C. A., Fuel and Food Admin-
 istrations, War Savings stamps and
 Liberty Loans to the furnishing
 from the public schools and colleges
 a large majority of the boys who
 willingly and cheerfully answered
 the call of their country to make
 the supreme sacrifice. As school
 people we are to be congratulated
 upon the part we have played in
 this world conflict; but the future
 holds for us a still greater and
 more important duty. History
 abundantly proves that preparing
 and mobilizing an army for war is
 an easier task than the work of de-
 mocratization and reconstruction
 after the close of the strife. The
 worldwide period of reconstruction
 is now upon us. That the schools
 are the logical fundamental instru-
 ments in the work of reconstruction
 is evident to every informed

and thinking man. The period of
 trial and tests through which we
 have just passed has made clear
 several very vital and important
 basic facts.

First, that a large per cent of
 the people of Kentucky are lacking
 in that elementary, mental and moral
 training necessary in order that
 they become factors in the develop-
 ment of a greater State and a pure
 Democracy.

Second, that we are lacking in the
 knowledge of many of the funda-
 mental principles necessary for the
 material happiness and development
 of our people. I am sure that it
 is the duty of all teachers and school
 officials of the state to co-operate
 with the State Health Department
 to so enlighten and train the chil-
 dren along the lines of proper nour-
 ishment and sanitation as to forever
 preclude the possibility of such con-
 ditions in the future as we have
 had in the past. It is a distressing
 fact that the present epidemic of
 influenza has cost the lives of more
 of our splendid boys just ready to
 take upon their shoulders the priv-
 ileges and responsibilities of citizen-
 ship, than have the bullets of the
 Hun.

Third, the public school is consid-
 ered by all authorities to be the
 Cradle of Liberty and Democracy.
 Surely it becomes the duty of the
 teachers of the State of Kentucky
 to so widely and thoroughly com-
 prehend the relation of the citizen to
 the state that they may teach the
 principles of true Republican Gov-
 ernment to the rising generation in
 such a way as will create an abid-
 ing interest in their government and
 a realization that no Democracy can
 be better than the average of its
 citizenship.

We teachers and school officials
 must learn that before we can take
 our rightful position in the forward
 march of happening events we must
 get the people who are the power
 to understand that right education
 is the biggest, best and holiest busi-
 ness in which the state is engaged;
 and that we can not, if rightly ex-
 pended and directed, put too much
 energy, life and money into the
 training of the boys and girls who
 are to mold the future destiny of
 the nation and of the world; and
 that we must bring to our work and
 leadership such a degree of effi-
 ciency and wisdom as will com-
 mand the respect and co-operation
 of the people with whom we are
 associated; that the teacher and the
 people who administer the business
 of education shall be adequately sup-
 ported commensurate with the value
 of their service to society. All
 citizens who have the best interest
 of the future citizenship of the
 state at heart must begin to get the
 electorate of the state to under-
 stand that it is a tragedy upon jus-
 tice to pay their chauffeur more
 than they pay their teacher; to build
 a house to shelter their cattle at a
 greater expense than a building to
 shelter their children during five
 days of the week, six or more
 months of the year at a cost of 100
 per cent less.

In a Republic the people get,
 through their Legislatures and Ad-
 ministrative Officers, what they
 want best. The thing that we
 school people are obliged to do by
 the very nature of our position is to
 bring the people to want the right
 thing, and then get it in the right
 way. In order to do this we must
 begin the training of the child at an
 early age in the laws of Govern-
 ment and proper living.

I desire to call the attention of the
 teachers to Section 24a of the acts
 of 1918, School Laws, which de-
 clares that "after July 1, 1919 the
 subject of Elementary Agriculture
 shall be taught in the Common
 Schools of this State, except in cities
 of the First, Second, Third and
 Fourth Classes." We all realize the
 fact that this law is a termination
 of a long fight to have Agriculture
 put into our schools, and it marks
 an era in our school system. I
 do not think a more important act
 has been passed in recent years.

Therefore, I am urging, yes, de-
 manding, that the teachers of Knox
 County thoroughly prepare them-
 selves upon this subject as the law
 requires. This law applies to the
 rural schools in a very extensive
 way. There is no question that if it
 be wisely administered and enforced
 that it will result in great good to
 the country schools. On the other
 hand if this law be not wisely admin-
 istered and enforced, if Agriculture
 be taught unwisely and impractically
 in the country schools, the re-
 sult will be that the farmers will
 become so disgusted with the whole
 thing and the law will be repealed.
 Or, if it be taught in a bookish way,
 or by teachers who do not under-
 stand the subject themselves, the
 law will become a dead letter. It is
 a ruling of the Department of Ed-
 ucation of this State that the teach-
 er who fails to pass an examination
 proficiently on the subject of Agri-

culture, will be debarred from teach-
 ing in this county and in this state,
 no difference what grade of certifi-
 cate they may hold upon the other
 branches to be taught. I sincerely
 hope that those who expect to take
 a part in the development of this
 county educationally and become
 teachers for the present year, will
 avail themselves of any, and all
 privileges they may have to prepare
 themselves upon the subject of
 Agriculture.

E. B. HEMPHILL, County Supt.

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 have not. For those who have not got their
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 that is to get into the County Clerk and
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before legal proceedings are started. If
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Vinton's Liberty Loan Boat Will Have Girl Sponsor



MARGARET FISCHER

NOT a very big girl, Margaret, and when she stands up alongside of a great ocean boat she will not look any bigger. But she is going to christen a boat just the same. Vinton County, Ohio, has chosen her—Margaret Fischer of Zaleski, Ohio—to be sponsor for the boat which that county won the right to name. Vinton County won the distinction in the last Liberty Loan campaign when it was the first county in the Cincinnati area to attain its quota in Liberty Bond sales. The county's quota was \$120,500, and it had subscribed that amount at the end of the first day of the drive. Its final subscriptions totaled \$158,850. The boat is being built in one of the big government ship yards and probably will be ready for the launching in Spring.

UNCLE SAM HAS BIG APPETITE NOW FOR SAFE INVESTMENTS

BETWEEN TWENTY AND TWENTY-FIVE MILLION BOND BUYERS TAKE ELEVEN BILLION IN YEAR.

Pessimists who shake their heads and join the chorus of "I dunno" boys at the prospect of floating a Fifth Liberty Loan in April are given food for thought in some figures which have recently been compiled by officials of the Treasury Department at Washington.

The figures give us some idea of just how big an appetite for safe investment this country has attained in its war-year.

Some of the more striking of the figures referred to follow:

A bond market which had less than 300,000 customers two years ago had at the close of 1918 between 20,000,000 and 25,000,000 buyers.

The army of buyers absorbed \$11,165,565,850 worth of bonds in Liberty Bonds alone in 1918.

In the two years of the war—counting the first and second Liberty Loans which were floated in 1917—these bond buyers digested a total of \$16,974,329,350 Liberty Bonds.

A further development which has the optimistic turn is the market which bond dealers find right now for every sort of bonds—municipal, school, industrial, etc. Bond dealers are selling out all legitimate offerings with such celerity that they are continually seeking about the country for new issues to market.

This healthy condition of the bond market is explained, perhaps, by the fact that the entire indebtedness of the United States today amounts to slightly less than 7 per cent of the estimated national wealth. The national debt amounts to only about \$170 per capita.

Some of the national debts are: Great Britain, 44.3 per cent of national wealth or \$360 per capita; France, 41.25 per cent of national wealth or \$296.90 per capita; Austria, \$4.66 per cent of national wealth or \$242.90 per capita; and Germany, 38.7 per cent of national wealth or \$305.90 per capita. These figures on Germany are exclusive of the ninth war loan, accurate returns of which never were had, and in the cases of both Austria and Germany no account is taken of any indemnities which those nations may have to pay.

Japan is the only big nation which has a lower per capita debt in relation to its wealth than the United States.

Liberty Loan Levy



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Personal Mention

John C. Main went to Lexington Thursday on business.

Judge J. M. Robison was in Manchester this week on business.

John L. Stanfill, of Richlands, Va., was here this week on business.

Mrs. J. S. Miller is visiting her parents at Richmond this week.

Judge J. D. Tuggle was in Harlan the first of the week on business.

Miss Maud Cecil has returned from a visit to relatives in Virginia.

Mrs. L. C. Miller, Sr., is visiting her parents in Richmond this week.

Judge John H. Wilson was in Manchester this week on business.

Mr. G. C. Humfleet, of Knox Fork, was in this city last week on business.

Lieut. King, of Williamsburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rasnick this week.

Miss Nancye Jones and Mrs. Fred Jones were in Harlan visiting friends last week.

Mrs. V. C. McDonald, who has been very ill with influenza, is much improved.

Drew Faulkner, who is working at Lynch, was here this week visiting home folks.

Mrs. T. J. Slusher, of Flat Lick, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Slusher this week.

Miss Etta Prichard, of Williamsburg, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. F. Rasnick, this week.

Miss Dora Williams, of Flat Lick, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Bargo in this city this week.

Mrs. Henry Luck, of Wilmington, N. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. L. Lewis, this week.

Miss Ada Cecil, of Pennington, Va., was the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Sproul, last week.

Mrs. J. W. Root, Jr., and Mrs. J. F. Weaver, of Corbin, were the guests of Mrs. J. D. Tuggle Wednesday.

Mahala Bain, blind daughter of Mrs. Sarah Bain, is very ill with pneumonia the results from influenza.

Mrs. R. N. Jarvis, who has been visiting relatives in New Orleans, returned to her home in this city Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Johnson left this week for Louisville where she will attend the Louisville Conservatory of Music.

Born to the wife of W. R. Lay a fine boy baby. Mother and baby doing nicely, having returned from Berea Wednesday.

J. J. Calebs was taken to Louisville the first of the week for an operation for cancer of the stomach. It is reported that his condition is critical.

Alvin T. Simms, who was with the 138th F. A. Band, has been discharged from the service and returned to Barbourville Friday morning. He is looking fine and to say that he is glad to be back home is putting it mild. Everybody is glad to see Simms.

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MARRIAGES

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James Patterson, 60, to Ellen Noth, 38.

Fred Fields, 23, to Cronley Bennett, 20.

Orange Carnes, 21, to Rosa Bingham, 20.

BELMONT CHANGES HANDS

Last Saturday Reed Hughes and James Hinkle purchased the Belmont Restaurant from Charley Capais and took possession immediately. They say they are going to run an up-to-date restaurant and keep their place in a good condition.

Mr. Capais will locate in Corbin, where he has purchased a restaurant near the depot.

THE CIVIC LEAGUE

The Civic League met at the home of Mrs. George W. Tye December 16th with an unusually large attendance considering the fact that so many of the members had sickness in their homes.

The League is preparing for increased activity at the first peep of Spring and want the co-operation of the entire membership.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. James Archer January 30, and all members are urged to be present.

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A PLEASANT AFTERNOON

One afternoon last week, Mrs. Ben E. Parker was the very pleasantly surprised hostess of a neighborhood party.

Without preparing her for their coming the elderly ladies in the immediate vicinity called and in a few moments the younger women followed. According to arrangements the guests arrived before those bearing gifts who followed unannounced.

First came Mother Steele, bringing a beautiful cut-glass pitcher of delicious grape juice; then Mrs. Archer, holding aloft a lovely whipped cream cake. Next was Mrs. W. H. Detherage with a steaming pot of chocolate, and Mrs. A. G. Clark and Miss Nannie Anderson followed her with a huge tray of all sorts of delightful fruits, furnished by Mrs. H. B. Clark.

Lightheartedly protesting against Mrs. Parker's assistance, these kind friends served their surprised hostess and the gathering of happy women, and the afternoon sped away in a glow of joy and brightness.

Mrs. J. E. Archer was the speaker of the happy occasion, and Mrs. Parker replied to the toasts with a few well chosen grateful words of appreciation for their thoughtfulness of her, and presented each guest with a souvenir.

Those present were Mrs. B. C. Steele, Mrs. M. G. Hignite, Mrs. S. D. Wyatt, Mrs. H. B. Clark, Mrs. W. H. Detherage, Mrs. J. E. Archer, Mrs. J. W. Croley, Mrs. A. G. Clark, and Misses Nannie Anderson, Anna Stewart Archer and Marie Clark Croley.

WOMEN'S STUDY CLUB

Mrs. C. P. Kennedy was hostess to the Women's Study Club on Tuesday afternoon, January 21st. Eighteen members responded to roll call.

On motion of Mrs. Tye the club voted to accept and endorse the resolutions passed by the National Committee on the protection of Women under International Law, in response to a plea sent out by the National Council of French Women in behalf of the women and girls of that land who have been dishonored by German beasts, asking that these women be acclaimed as bearing honorable wounds which none may dispute or undervalue. American womanhood lifts its voice and demands that at the Peace Table justice shall be done to those whose wounds may not be healed.

On motion of Mrs. Rathfon the club voted that the President appoint a committee to confer with Mr. McDermott, County Chairman, of the National Defense, to arrange a Memorial Service in honor of the late Ex-President Roosevelt February 9th at the same time Congress holds service. The committee appointed was composed of Mrs. Tye, Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Mitchell.

The program for the afternoon was very interesting and splendidly given. Mrs. James Golden was chairman for the day.

The League of Nations—Shall America go in?—Mrs. Heidrick.

Russia's Struggle Against Chaos—Mrs. McDermott.

Mrs. Martha Potter, of Bowling Green, and Miss Dora Sonney, of the University of Cincinnati, were guests of the club, having been sent out by the Federation of Women's Clubs to lecture on and demonstrate food values. This is the first of six lectures and demonstrations. The second lecture and demonstration will be given at the club's meeting the last of February. The Members of the Civic League are most cordially invited to attend these lectures and demonstrations.

After adjournment, the hostess served a delicious salad course.

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EXAMINATION QUESTION ON AGRICULTURE

The following letter was received by County Superintendent H. from V. O. Gilbert, State Superintendent, concerning the Agricultural Bulletins and examination question on Agriculture.

Frankfort, Ky., January 23, Sup't E. B. Hemphill, Barbourville, Kentucky. Dear Superintendent:

I have made arrangements with the Agricultural Department University of Kentucky for forwarding bulletins No. 54 and 56. I am getting out about 200 questions on Agriculture. These three will form the basis of the examination on Agriculture. A sample of all of your teachers' right away. Very truly, V. O. GILBERT

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